



BEAUPRE, KEOGH & DAVIS,
WHOLESALE GROCERS.

St. Paul, Minn. Feb 1st 1893.

Mr J. J. Hill
St Paul, Minn

Dear Sir I have been with Beaupre
Keogh & Davis for the past 5 years and was
in charge of their Commission Dept. while it
was operated by them before coming to St Paul
I had been engaged in the Mercantile Trade in
Iowa. and was interested in the Creamery
business about the time that I arranged
with them I had thought some of trying to
do you. and see if you could not be interest-
ed in a company to operate a line of
Creameries. along the line of the Great Northern
Ry. and I had seen through the papers you
were very much interested in fine Cattle
Now the Great Northern raises through a fine
section of Country East of the Missouri river
for dairy purposes. and west of there
is an excellent Country for the consumption
of such products. My idea has been "briefly stated."



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this to Interest The Merchants and farmers at
 such points as was desirous to Engage in
 the business. getting them to take or subscribe
 for stock toward building the Company and
 then for the Company to buy in Auction of the
 Council's Milch Cows. ship them in & sell to the
 farmers - as many as they would be able to
 take good care of and take the pay for
 such - stock sold in the products thing
 I firmly believe that a good & profitable business
 could be done. I also feel myself competent
 with some assistance to commence & carry to
 successful conclusion such an Enterprise
 I would respectfully refer you to Mr. W. A.
 Alexander - Mr E. B Wakenman Mr C Wellington
 also Beaupre Keogh & Davis Mr Alexander and
 Mr Wakenman. have known me for the
 past 30 years.

Yours Very Truly
 J. J. Hayward